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## ARMENIAN SSR TOPS THIRD-QUARTER GOAL

The Statistics Administration Armenian SSR reports that Armenian industry fulfilled the third-quarter gross-production plan 103 percent. Individual ministries met the plan as follows:

Union Industry	Percent
Ministry of Metallurgical Industry Ministry of Petroleum Industry Ministry of Electric Power Stations Ministry of Electrical Industry Ministry of Chemical Industry Ministry of Automobile and Tractor Industry Ministry of Machine-Tool Building Ministry of Machine and Instrument Building Ministry of Construction Materials Industry Ministry of Light Industry Ministry of Meat and Dairy Industry Ministry of Food Industry Ministry of Agricultural Procurement Union-Republic, Republic, and Local Industry	77 86 107 116 100 88 102 94 112 102 106 97
Ministry of Construction Materials Industry Ministry of Timber and Paper Industry Ministry of Light Industry Ministry of Meat and Dairy Industry Ministry of Food Industry "Armryba" (Armenian Fish) Trust Ministry of Local Industry Ministry of Automobile Transport Ministry of Trade Ministry of Social Security	82 100 100 102 106 92 106 60 133 117

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Union-Republic, Republic and Local Industry	Percent
Administration of Polygraphic Industry, Publishing, and Book Trade Council of Ministers Armenian SSR Main Administration of Cotton Growing, Council of Min-	105
isters Armenian SSR "Aykoop" Consumers' Cooperative Armenian Council of Industrial Cooperatives Union of Invalids' Cooperatives, Armenian SSR	104 119 114 124

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The third-quarter plan for production of chief types of industrial goods was fulfilled as follows:

	3d Qu 50 Plan in %	3d Qu 50 in % of 3d Qu 49
Copper ore	102	116
Electrolytic copper	100	106
Barite	88	105
Electric power	99	108
Calcium carbide	83	79
"Sevanit"	97	98
Caustic soda	106	111
Şulfuric acid	58	85
Superphosphate	74	95
Cyanamide	104	125
Automobile tires	110	145
Inner tubes	110	148
Transformers	101	72
Generators	71	135
Installation wiring	105	149
Light cords	101	69
Uninsulated copper wire	101	97
Spare automobile parts	77	173
Metal-culting machines	100	116
VK 3-6 compressors	41	85
Pumps	71	224
Alarm clocks	86	105
Cement	112	98
Mullite bars	104	89
Construction tuff	83	149
Roofing tile	31	148
"Gazha" (alabaster)	110	110
Pumice blocks	168	288
Haulage of commercial timber	98	151
Haulage of firewood	107	106
Lumber	104	160
Beds ·	74	139
Aluminum ware	81	156
Cotton yarn	97	107
Cotton fabric	103	111
Woolen fabric	144	126
Silk fabric	139	121
Cord	104	136
Raw silk	109	127
Knit outerwear	103	127
Knit underwear	87	136
Hosiery	98	137

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	3d Qu 50 Plan in %	3d Qu 50 in % of 3d Qu 49
Sewn articles	115	103
Carpets	103	86
Footwear	88	149
Chrome leather	108	172
Hard leather	. 116	148
Canned goods	102	115
Grape wine	110	143
Cognac	143	167
Beer	89	96
Cigarettes	117	142
Meat	106	167
Sausage	101	97
Fish	103	121
Butter	114	82
Cheese	80	104
Vegetable oil	102	183
Confectionery	97	100
Macaroni products	53	53
Laundry soap	147	177

In the third-quarter 1950, gross production by all Armenian industry increased 12 percent over the third quarter 1949.

The following enterprises fulfilled and exceeded the third-quarter plan for gross production and for quantitative production of chief types of goods: "Armenenergo," Zangezur Mine Administration, Alaverdi Copper-Smelting Plant, Alaverdi Mine Administration, tire plant, electric-machine building Plant, Machine-Tool Building Plant imeni Dzerzhinskiy, cable plant, cement plant, mullite plant, grain-milling combine, cord factory, Leninakan Cotton Combine, Leninakan Hosiery Factory, cloth factory, Beriyevskaya Silk Textile Factory, Beriyevskaya Knit Goods Factory, leather plant, Shoe Factory No 3, Sewing Factory No 1, silk-winding factory, Kirovakan Textile Factory, Kirovakan Machine-Building Plant, "Ararat" Trust, champagne wine combine, "Glavsoyuztabaksyr'ye," geranium plant, mineral water trust, butter and fats combine, tobacco factory, glass container plant, Yerevan Meat Combine, Lambalinskoye and Kafan timber managements, Idzhevan Sawmill, school accessories factory, Yerevan Machine-Building Plant, weighing and measuring instruments plant, "Metalloshirpotreb" (metal consumers' goods) Plant, electric lighting equipment plant, Ararat Lime Plant, Dzhadzhurskiy Lime Plant, and Pemzashenskoye Quarry Administration.

The following enterprises fulfilled the gross-production plan, but failed to meet the plan for production of chief types of goods: clock plant, Leninakan Meat Canning Combine, Tumanyanskoye Mine Administration, electric precision instruments plant, metal structures plant, and Kirovakan Sheepskin Coat Factory.

The following enterprises failed to meet the plan either for gross production or for chief types of goods: Alaverdi Chemical Plant, Kirovakan Chemical Plant, Plant imeni Kirov, carbide plant, Sevan GES, compressor plant, small hydroturbine plant, "Avtodetal'" Plant, "Armbarit" (Armenian Barite), Leninakan Spinning Factory imeni Molotov, Armenian Cheese Trust, confectionery and macaroni factory, shoe factories No 1 and 2, Sewing Factory No 2, Kirovakan, Norbayazet, and Goris knit goods factories, Stepanavan Hosiery Factory, Alaverdi and Shamshadinskoye timber managements, Furniture Factory imeni Kirov, Arabkirskaya Furniture Factory, "Anipemza," "Artiktuf," Yerevan Tile and Brick Plant, granite-cutting factory, Leninakan Refractories Plant, chemical and pharmaceuticals plant, Echmiadzin Machinery Plant, Leninakan Machinery Plant, Kanaker Shoe Factory.

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On 20 October, the republic's kolkhozes completed the harvest of grain crops. On 10 September, kolkhozes and sovkhozes fulfilled, considerably ahead of schedule, the state plan for grain procurement, delivering to the state 320,000 more poods of grain than in 1949.

The potato harvest area was greater than last year. The harvest and delivery to the state of cotton, sugar beets, and other crops is proceeding successfully.

The work of providing an increased fodder supply base for animal husbandry on kolkhozes is proceeding on a high level. The plan for mowing indigenous grasses and ensilage work has been fulfilled, while the area of mowing of indigenous hay has increased 4 percent, seed grasses 28 percent, and ensilage 13 percent over 1949.

On 20 October, MTS had completed 23 percent more tractor work than in 1949. MTS fulfilled the plan for combine harvesting 122 percent, representing an increase of 18 percent over 1949.

Construction projects in the republic fulfilled 75 percent of the third-quarter capital-construction plan, including 69 percent by Union projects and 94 percent by republic projects. The volume of capital construction in the third quarter 1950 was 99 percent of that of the same period c. 1949. Construction projects of individual ministies and organizations fulfilled the third-quarter capital-construction plan as follows:

Projects of	Union Ministries	Percent
Ministry of	Metallurgical Industry Electrical Industry Electric Power Stations Communications Equipment Industry Automobile and Tractor Industry Chemical Industry Machine and Instrument Building Machine-Tool Building Petroleum Industry Construction Materials Industry Light Industry Food Industry Agriculture	52 83 89 79 964 80 89 84 663 97
	Union-Republic and Republic Ministries	,
Ministry of	Construction Materials Industry Light Industry Food Industry Agriculture Irrigation Timber and Paper Industry Forestry Cinematography	68 . 100 . 165 . 70 . 88 . 57 . 89 . 99 . 19 . 125 . 79
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The third-quarter plan for retail trade turnover was fulfilled 96 percent, including 97 percent by the trade network, and 95 percent by the network of public eating enterprises. Individual ministries and organizations fulfilled the plan as follows:

	Trade <u>Network</u>	Public Eating Enterprises	Total
Ministry of Trade Armenian SSR	97	94	97
Including:			
"Armentorg" (Armenian Trade)	103	93	102
"Pishchetorg" (Food Trade)	87		87
"Promtorg" (Industrial Trade)	109		109
"Khlebtorg" (Bakery Trade)	94		94
"Lenpromtorg" (Leninakan Indus-			
trial Trade)	103		103
"Lenpishchetorg" (Leninakan	_		_
Food Trade)	83	89	84
Dining Hall Trust		101	101
Main Administration of Special			
Foods Stores	91		91
Main Administration of Department			•
Stor	106		106
Main administration of Military			
Commissaries	100	85	97
Jewelry Trade	119		119
"Aykoop" Consumers' Cooperatives	99	103	100
Industrial Cooperatives	66	76	67
Invalids' Cooperatives	79	82	79
ORS and food supply organizations	87	97	88
Others	106	97	106

Sale to the population of the following products increased in the third quarter over the second quarter 1950: meat products, cotton and woolen fabrics, knit goods, and others. Prices continue to decrease on the kolkhoz markets, while the sale of agricultural products to the population has increased substantially.

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